



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Mail Stop: AMENDMENT**  
Takashi YAZAWA et al. : **Confirmation No. 5646**  
Serial No. 10/069,988 : **Docket No. 2002\_0306A**  
Filed March 1, 2002 : **Group Art Unit 3729**  
**COMPONENT RECOGNIZING METHOD** : **Examiner Carl J. ARBES**  
**AND APPARATUS, AND COMPONENT**  
**MOUNTING METHOD AND APPARATUS (as amended)**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

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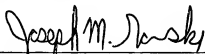
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